



**New Jersey DEP Division of Fish & Wildlife  
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**New Jersey Chapter of the Wildlife Society  
announce the  
Russell A. Cookingham Scholarship**

This scholarship is made possible by an endowment from Russell A. Cookingham, former Director of the New Jersey DEP Division of Fish and Wildlife. It is intended to assist qualified students in the wildlife/fisheries or conservation education/communication field with college and related expenses. The New Jersey DEP Division of Fish & Wildlife and the New Jersey Chapter of the Wildlife Society are partnering in the selection and award of the scholarships.

If you have completed at least one half of the degree requirements for Wildlife/Fisheries or Conservation Education/Communications major, you may be eligible for this \$1000.00 scholarship. (Conservation Education/Communication majors must have at least 15 credits in the biological sciences to be eligible). You must reside permanently in New Jersey. New Jersey residents attending school out-of-state are eligible. To apply, send an official transcript, 2 letters of recommendation, your resume and a cover letter explaining why you should be considered for this scholarship. One \$1000.00 award will be made during 2005.

Send all information by April 1, 2005 to:

Cookingham Scholarship Fund  
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